

The Waybill

News Bulletin of the Traffic Club of Chicago

July 2015



From the Office of the President

Time to end the lazy days of summer. The Club needs you, so please consider getting more involved. We have listed the Club Committees that are always looking for a few good volunteers below. If you are interested in joining a committee, please contact the chairperson listed.

Annual Dinner Committee

The Annual Dinner Committee is responsible for making the arrangements for the Annual Dinner and for the Annual Dinner Golf Outing. The Annual Dinner Committee assists the President and oversees Club staff in planning and executing arrangements to develop a successful Annual Dinner meeting.

Chair: Denny Grim Email: denny@soundbusinessnetwork.com

Networking Committee

The Networking Committee is responsible for planning and executing social events (other than the golf outings) for the Club. Responsibilities include selecting events, locations and dates for recommendation to the Board of Governors. The Networking Committee works with the Membership Committee to plan the Holiday Reception as well.

Chair: J. Kevin Chapman Email: jkchapman@jmrgraphics.com

Finance Committee

The Finance Committee is accountable for responsible investing and safeguarding of the Club's financial assets. This includes weighing the appropriate investments required to meet the Club's financial needs, while matching those investments to the Club's risk tolerance.

Co-Chair: Dan Behr Email: dbehr@behrandassociates.com

Co-Chair: Bruce Betts Email: BAB@flakinternational.com

House Committee

The House Committee is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Club. This involves development of policies and procedures and oversight of administration, administrative operations, accounting, insurance, and management of assets.

Chair: Mitch Kowalewski Email: mkowalewski@celticintl.com

Looking for Contest Sponsors

The 2015 summer golf season is in full swing with our next golf outing being held on July 23, 2015 at Abbey Spring Golf Course in Fontana, Wisconsin. The golf committee is still looking for companies who would like to help support the outings by being a contest sponsor at one or all of the remaining outings. The cost is a nominal fee of \$75, of which \$50 is given out as the prize to the winner of the contest sponsored. The remaining \$25 goes towards the door prizes that are given out following the dinner. For those not interested in sponsorship, you can still help by donating a door prize. Interested companies should contact the Club office by email at staff@traffic-club.org, or by phone at 630-529-1333.

Cubs Outing Set for August 13th

J. Kevin Chapman, chair of the Club's Networking Committee has announced that the committee has scheduled an outing to Wrigley Field for August 13th, 2015 to see the Cubs take on the Milwaukee Brewers. The festivities will start with a gourmet buffet luncheon at the Dug-out Room located in Wrigley's private "Audi Club". This gourmet luncheon will include all-you-can-drink beer, wine and soft drinks. Following lunch, we will proceed to our terrace reserved outfield seats to enjoy the game. The cost for lunch and the game is \$110.00 per person and tickets are limited to 4 per member. If you would like to make reservations, please contact the Club office by email at staff@traffic-club.org or by phone at 630-529-1333. You may also make reservations online by clicking [here](#). Tickets for this event are limited so get your reservations in early.

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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We are pleased to welcome the following new members, who have recently joined the Club.

Tim Reyburn
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Chicago, IL 60616
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11 Marshall Road
Wappingers Falls, NY 12590
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500 Busse Road
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Membership Committee

The Membership Committee addresses issues related to attracting and retaining TCC membership. The Membership Committee is also responsible for TCC's Career Fair, Transportation Night, and putting together promotional materials (tri-fold, etc.). The Membership Committee works with the Networking Committee to plan the Holiday Reception as well. A benefit of being on the Membership Committee includes supporting Club initiatives and Club growth. The Membership Committee is always looking for new options for attracting and adding value to TCC members.

Chair: Tom Degan
Email: Tom.Degnan@elevance.com

Golf Committee

The Golf Committee is responsible for planning and executing the Club's annual series of golf outings. Responsibilities include selecting golf courses and dates for the outings for recommendation to the Board of Governors, coordinating event menus, prizes and other arrangements as appropriate.

Chair: Ron Mazmanian
Email: ron.maz@aimtransfer.com

Education Committee

The Education Committee is responsible for planning, presenting, and promoting quality luncheon programs with current transportation issues, referred to as the "Executive Series" luncheon programs.

Chair: Jeff Clark
Email: jeff@eagletrainingservices.com

Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Lynn Musillami
President, 2015

— Welfare —

Howard L. Vander Meer – Honorary Member and former President of Rail-To-Water Transfer Corp., passed away on July 2nd, 2015. He was 89-years-old. Mr. Meer joined the Traffic Club of Chicago in November, 1952. Mr. Meer was a World War II U.S. Army Veteran and a beloved husband of 66 years to Betty. He was a loving father to his children, Douglas, Wayne and Kimberly, as well as a grandfather to eight, great-grandfather to nine, and great-great-grandfather to one.

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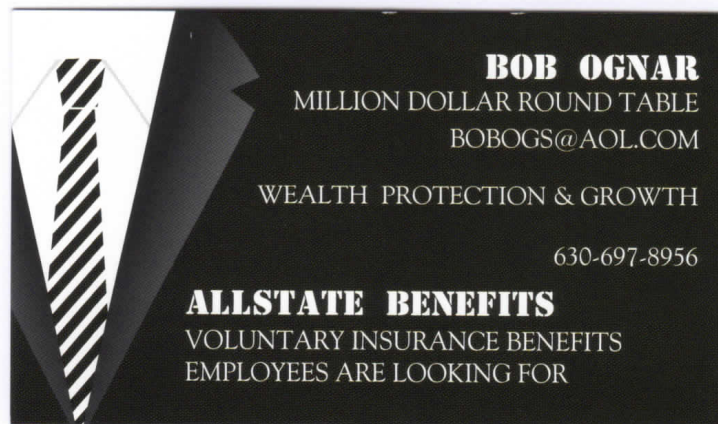


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CORPORATE SPONSOR

The club would like to acknowledge and thank the following companies for their support through our corporate sponsorship program.



GOLD SPONSOR

Retirees Luncheon Set for September 10th

Attention Honorary members! This is just a reminder to mark your calendar and plan to attend his year's complimentary luncheon recognizing your support of the Club over the years. The date is Thursday, September 10th and the location for the luncheon will once again be Itasca Country Club. A flyer for this event will go out to our retired members in the near future.

The day will begin with a social period beginning at 11:15 am, followed by a wonderful buffet luncheon at 12:30 pm. The luncheon is only complimentary to our honorary members. For those retired members wishing to bring your spouse or a friend, the cost for their ticket is a nominal \$28.00 per person.

This luncheon is also open to the general membership and anyone who would like to attend is welcome. Your cost to attend is the same as a retiree's guest. We especially hope that our board members will plan to join us that day to offer their thanks for all the support that these retired members have given to the Club over their many years as active members.

2015 Executive Series Luncheon Program Schedule

The Education Committee has been hard at work, lining up some exciting, timely and informative luncheon programs for 2015 that should be of interest to our members and your guests. Please be sure to mark your calendars for these dates, and kindly forward this information on to anyone you feel would be interested in attending these programs.

September 17

Intermodal Forum
An Executive Briefing
Location TBA

October 14 & 15

Business Development Seminar for Transportation and Logistics Sales Professionals
Location TBA

November 19

"The South Side"
An Executive Series Lunch
Location TBA

Thanks to Our Sponsors

The Traffic Club of Chicago would like to acknowledge and offer our sincere thanks to the following companies for their generous support of the 108th Annual Dinner and Golf Outing. It is through their continuous support that makes these events a success every year.

General Reception:

CN

Head Table Reception:

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Traffic Club Dues = Priceless Benefits

Whether you are a Resident, Non-Resident or Young Professional member of the Club, we want to take this opportunity to remind you of the many valued benefits that the Traffic Club of Chicago offers our members, and trust that you will take advantage of these many opportunities.

Executive Series luncheons featuring top industry speakers

Scholarship Fund for children and/or grandchildren of members

Numerous customer entertainment venues including:

Dinner Theater Events

Golf Outings

Varied Sporting Events

Monthly newsletter which keeps our members notified on club happenings and events

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Additional dining privileges at the private Itasca Country Club and Ridge Country Club

Endless opportunities to network with your peers

Belonging to one of the finest transportation organizations in the country

We sincerely thank you for your continued support of the club and encourage all of our members to become more involved, possibly by joining one of our many committees.

The Membership Committee

— Classifieds —

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Transportation professional with over 15 years of experience and ability is looking for an organization that needs an account manager or operations excellence. Past positions include dedicated operations, terminal manager, materials planner and regional sales manager. Looking to use my knowledge and abilities to help an organization achieve their goals and strategic plans. Contact Mike at (219) 381-6725 or email me at mike100e@sbcglobal.net

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Locations for Our 2015 Summer Outings Announced

Golf Committee Chairman Ron Mazmanian announced that the committee has selected most of the dates and locations for this year's outings. This includes a "new" private country club golf course that we have never played before. Below are the dates and locations for those courses that have been selected for this year.

July 23

Abbey Springs Golf Club
Fontana, WI

August 20

Calumet Country Club
Homewood, IL "New"

September 24

Thunder Hawk Golf Club
Zion, IL

Thanks to Our Advertisers

The Traffic Club of Chicago would like to also thank the following companies who advertised in this year's annual dinner program. Their support is sincerely appreciated.

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Golf Sponsors:

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www.traffic-club.org

MEMBERSHIP CHALLENGE 2015...LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD MEMBERS

All we ask is that each of our members tries to bring in just *One New Member*. That's all ... just *One New Member*.

It doesn't take much effort and we will even help you there. Below is an application form you can fax to someone you know that's not currently a member and encourage them to become one. Better yet ... just forward them the newsletter so they can read first hand what the club has to offer. As a fellow club member you already know the many benefits available to you and a brief note from you is all that's required. That's all there is to it.

Thanks for your help in making 2015 another successful membership drive year!

THE TRAFFIC CLUB OF CHICAGO

Application for Membership

Resident - \$280

Anyone residing within a 75 mile radius from City Hall Chicago

Non-Resident - \$80

Anyone residing outside a 75 mile radius from City Hall Chicago

Young Professional - \$80

First time applicant, age 30 or younger. Can reside within or outside the 75 mile radius from City Hall Chicago

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TITLE _____ Co. _____

Business Address _____ Phone (____) _____

City _____ State/Zip _____ Fax (____) _____

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Please indicate the area your company represents:

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Other _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Sponsor _____ Card No. _____

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PLEASE FAX YOUR APPLICATION TO THE CLUB OFFICE AT: (630) 790-3095

Traffic Club Calendar for 2015

The following is a listing of Club activities that have been scheduled for 2015. Please be sure to mark your calendars accordingly, so that you don't miss any of these important events.

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| Feb 6 | Membership Committee Meeting | May 1 | Membership Committee Meeting | Aug/Sep | Ravinia Networking Event |
| Feb 9 | House Committee Meeting | May 11 | House Committee Meeting | Sep 4 | Membership Committee Meeting |
| Feb 9 | Board of Governors Meeting | May 11 | Board of Governors Meeting | Sep 14 | Board of Governors Meeting |
| Feb 19 | Executive Series Luncheon, Ditka's, Oakbrook Terrace, IL Speaker: Darren Hawkins, President, YRC Freight | May 13 | Annual Dinner Golf Outing, Cog Hill Golf Club, Lemont, IL | Sep 14 | House Committee Meeting |
| Mar | March Madness Virtual Event | May 14 | 108th Annual Dinner, Fairmont Chicago, Millennium Park downtown, Speaker TBA | Sep 17 | Executive Series Luncheon, Program, Speaker & Location TBA |
| Mar 6 | Membership Committee Meeting | Jun 5 | Membership Committee Meeting | Sep 24 | Final Golf Outing, Thunderhawk Golf Club, Zion, IL |
| Mar 9 | Board of Governors Meeting | Jun 8 | Board of Governors Meeting | Oct 2 | Membership Committee Meeting |
| Mar 19 | Executive Series Luncheon, Chandler's, Schaumburg, IL Speaker TBA | Jun 25 | 1st Golf Outing of the Season, Pinecrest Golf Club, Huntley, IL | Oct 12 | Board of Governors Meeting |
| Apr 3 | Membership Committee Meeting (tent) | Jul 10 | Membership Committee Meeting | Oct 14 | Transportation Night |
| Apr 13 | Board of Governors Meeting | Jul 13 | Board of Governors Meeting | Oct 15 | Executive Series Luncheon Program, Location & Speaker TBA |
| Apr 13 | House Committee Meeting | Jul 13 | House Committee Meeting | Nov 6 | Membership Committee Meeting |
| Apr 16 | Joint Executive Series Luncheon | Jul 23 | 2nd Golf Outing, Abbey Springs Golf Club, Fontana, WI | Nov 9 | Board of Governors Meeting |
| | | Jul 29 | Cubs Outing | Nov 12 | Brew Pub Happy Hour |
| | | Aug 7 | Membership Committee Meeting | Nov 19 | Executive Series Luncheon, Location, Program & Speaker TBA |
| | | Aug 10 | Board of Governors Meeting (tent) | Dec | Annual Holiday Reception |
| | | Aug 20 | 3rd Golf Outing, Calumet Country Club, Homewood, IL | | |

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Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois
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ITASCA COUNTRY CLUB

400 E. Orchard Street
Itasca, Illinois
630-773-1800
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10522 S. California Avenue
Chicago, Illinois
773-238-9400
Winter Schedule Tuesday-Sunday. Lunch Only 12:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m. Dinner; Wednesday-Sunday from 6:00 pm.- 8:00 pm. Meeting Rooms are Available. Dining Privileges Only. No Golf Privileges.

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To see the list of available clubs please visit our website at:
www.traffic-club.org